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The Morgantown News Dominion wants lawyer Keck appointed to Judge Moore's vacancy on the Supreme bench of the State when it occurs.

The Weston Republican is two years old. Brother Peterson is one of the liveliest newspaper men in the State, and we are glad to know that his bank account is increasing.—West Messenger.

CAPT. DILLON publishes a card of thanks in the Statesville Independent to the good people down there who assisted in saving his steamer (Phonon) from her peril during the ice break-up. She escaped with very slight injuries.

The Parkersburg Journal takes the ground that it is the duty of the Legislature to respect the right of petition on the part of so large a number of the people of the State, and submit the proposed constitutional amendment to a vote at the polls.

If the Tyler county Independent would endeavor to arouse some live interest in that county in the project of a river railroad, instead of seeking to arouse a wholly unfounded prejudice against them who do feel such an interest in it, and who will do their full share towards building it, it would be doing vastly more than it is now doing to advance the best interests of the town and country where it is published.

If General Beaver, of Pennsylvania, should be elected United States Senator from that State, it would greatly gratify many of his acquaintances along the Ohio river border who heard him speak during the canvass last fall. He was chairman of the Pennsylvania delegation at Chicago, is a lawyer in Centre county, is a one-legged hero of the war, and is a bright, handsome and manly looking man, about forty years of age. We wish him success.

We have received a copy of Prof. A. L. Wade's new book, entitled "A Grading System for Country Schools." It is a handsomely gotten up volume of 400 pages, 12 mo., and is filled with interesting and instructive matter pertaining to the best and most practical methods of stimulating advancement among scholars in country schools. The work is sold at \$1.50, and can be had on application to the Professor at Morgantown. It is highly commended by eminent teachers and educational writers.

SENATOR DONOHOO, of Hancock county, introduced a resolution of sympathy for the people of Ireland into the body of which he is a member yesterday. We hope the resolution will be promptly passed by both houses. The suffering poor of that unhappy island are entitled to the sympathy of the civilized world. They are the victims of a land system that dooms them to hopeless slavery. The country is robbed to provide an enormous revenue for non-resident owners, and a merciless lot of middlemen. The condition of Ireland is the standing reproach of England, and without reference to the question whether the "Obstructionists" in Parliament were or were not justified in their course, the grievances of the people whom they represent are entitled to an expression of sympathy from the whole American people.

Children's Homes. Governor Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, in a message to the Legislature of that State, thus alludes to the necessity of keeping homeless children out of the poor houses of the Commonwealth:

From the State Board of Public Charities, from the official declarations made in the State Conventions of Poor Directors, and from the testimony of interested citizens on all sides, comes a swelling protest against the longer continuance of the evil and disgrace attending the presence of children in our almshouses. In the past five years over eleven thousand children, under sixteen years of age, have been temporary or permanent residents of these institutions. A disclosure of some of the facts, gathered from the sources above indicated, would shock the community, nor would a mere disclosure of the facts permit more than a reference to them herein.

These children, in a word, are overruled by illness, corrupted in body and soul, without the possibility of acquiring or recovering their self-respect, prepared for perdition and crime, eventually wrought at the outset of life. This situation of affairs is earnestly commended to your action.

We recommend this extract to our Steubenville neighbors who are still busily engaged in debating the question of a Children's Home in that county.

To the Penitentiary Investigating Committee, MOUNDSVILLE, February 10, Editors Intelligencer.

As matters and things at the Penitentiary are to be looked into by a visiting committee from the Legislature, I desire to append a suggestion or two in addition to those previously furnished.

There are in the town of Moundsville eleven stores, and I find in the report of the Penitentiary officials the following statements. Only one merchant's name is mentioned as being worthy of the patronage of the institution. And yet the other stores are all nearer to the Penitentiary than the store of said merchant. How does this happen? Is it on the principle that "when you have a black cat near him by the tail?"

I also see a certain monthly statement of money paid for drugs. You can buy many things at a drug store; such, for instance, as "spirits trinitol," blue mass and the like. Would it be out of order for the public to see a bill of particulars in regard to such purchases? Let us have an itemized account for the six month ending November 30, 1880, and see why it is that it takes \$188.12 to buy medicines for 85 sick convicts for that time, and \$41.07 per month for medical attendance.

Another thing for inquiry is the amount paid for traveling expenses to attend meetings of the Board. Permit me to inquire whether it would be possible to get good material for directors more conveniently to the penitentiary, or is it desirable to pay out as much money as possible for mileage. There is the bill of Mr. T. G. Smith, of Parkersburg, for instance, of \$185.80 for attendance at the meetings of the Board. That ain't much, of course, but it is one of the micks that make up the muckle. Next year, when the member from Mercer comes in, look out.

It might also be well for the committee to see what is the bill of the State for the deposit of State or penitentiary funds at the little bank of Director Smith of Gratton.

Condition and Prospects of the Growing Wheat in the Chicago Tribune.

TOLPEKA, Kas., February 9.—The condition of the wheat is very much improved by the late rains and mild weather. Much of it that was brown and dead on top of the ground is now coming out green and healthy, showing that the roots were not injured. Parties arriving from the South this morning report that there was a steady, soaking rain on Sunday and Monday, all of which was retained in the soil. The rain was followed by a downfall of four inches which now completely covers all the country between Emporia and Dodge City, a distance of about 300 miles, the rain and snow were also general in the northwestern part of the State, extending as far west as Phillips county. About nine inches of snow fell there, and in melting on the wheat fields, thus insuring the resuscitation of the crop. Altogether, the condition so far could not be more favorable. The snow will afford protection from any further freezing, although it is believed the more weather is over the general prospects are now as good as at the same time in 1875 and 1878, when Kansas harvested the two best crops of wheat ever raised in the State.

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